

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMMUNICATING INFORMATION TO A  
MEMORY DEVICE USING A RECONFIGURED DEVICE PIN

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention is generally directed to communicating information to and from memory devices. In one embodiment, the invention includes a memory system having a memory device having at least one extraneous device pin, a memory controller configured to control the memory device and a signal path extending between the memory device and the controller that includes the at least one extraneous device pin, the signal path being operable to transfer a selected memory system characteristic between the controller and the memory device.